

REMARKS

Claims 1 to 77 are pending in this application. No new matter is entered.

Claims 1 to 77 are subject to restriction under 35 U.S.C. § 121 as follows:

I. Claims 1-33 and 63-77 drawn to a product, classified in class 250, subclass 288.

II. Claims 35-45 drawn to a process of manufacture of a contiguous capillary, classified in class 250, subclass 282.

III. Claims 46-62 drawn to a process of use/method of conveying a fluid, classified in class 250, subclass 283.

Applicants hereby elect to prosecute the subject matter of Group I. Accordingly, claims 35-62 have been withdrawn without prejudice from consideration.

Applicants also discovered the absence of any claim 34 upon filing of the patent application. In this regard, claim 34 has been indicated as cancelled.

Accordingly, upon entry of these amendments, claims 1-33, 63-77 will remain pending. Claim 34 has been cancelled. Applicants request the Examiner to examine these claims at his earliest convenience.

If the Examiner has any questions, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned at (215) 564-8969.

Respectfully submitted,

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